## **SENATE BILL No. 610**

## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 15-18-1-21.

**Synopsis:** Unpasteurized milk acquisition. Allows the acquisition of unpasteurized milk by an individual who obtains the milk from animals solely or partially owned by the individual. Allows unpasteurized milk from animals owned by an individual to be distributed to members of the individual's family or nonpaying guests.

Effective: July 1, 2013.

## Banks, Waterman

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning agriculture and animals.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 15-18-1-21, AS ADDED BY P.L.2-2008,
SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 21. (a) A person may not offer, display for sale,
sell, deliver, or have possession of with intent to sell or deliver milk or
milk products for human consumption unless every particle of the final
mixture of the milk or milk products used in processing or manufacture
has been thoroughly pasteurized by equipment approved by the board.

- (b) The provisions of this chapter governing pasteurization do not apply to a person selling or offering for sale cheddar cheese that has been made from unpasteurized milk if:
  - (1) the cheese was made from unpasteurized milk and has been cured or ripened for at least sixty (60) days at a controlled temperature of at least thirty-five (35) degrees Fahrenheit; or
  - (2) the cheese is manufactured solely to be made into processed cheese that is pasteurized during the blending or manufacturing process.

Varieties of cheese other than that of the cheddar type made from



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unpasteurized milk must be ripened for the time and under the	
conditions prescribed by rule of the board. Cheese made from	
unpasteurized milk and offered or displayed for sale to the consumer	
must be labeled by the manufacturer or distributor with the	
manufacturer's or distributor's name and address or an equivalent	
identifying number or symbol and with the date of manufacture or a	
statement to the effect that the cheese has been cured or ripened for at	
least sixty (60) days.	
(c) The provisions of this chapter governing pasteurization do	
not apply to an individual who:	
(1) obtains milk from animals solely or partially owned by	
the:	
(A) individual;	
(B) members of the individual's family; or	
(C) individual's employer; and	
(2) distributes the unpasteurized milk to members of the	
individual's family or the individual's nonpaying guests.	
(c) (d) A pasteurizer of any milk or milk products must be equipped	
with accurate indicating thermometers and accurate recording	
thermometers and, for vat pasteurization equipment, an accurate	
airspace thermometer of a type approved by the board. Each recording	
thermometer chart must be dated and numbered and must show the	
amount in gallons, the kind of product pasteurized, the accurate	
readings of the indicating thermometers and airspace thermometers, the	
time the reading was made, and the operator's initials. Each chart may	
not be used for more than one (1) day of operations. The records of the	
pasteurization of each batch pasteurized must be retained for at least	
ninety (90) days.	

